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In response to the Office Notice mailed June 15, 2004, Applicants hereby submit the referenced amendment in compliant form. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$172.00 for two additional independent claims to Deposit Account No. 03-0172. It is believed that there is no additional fee associated with the filing and consideration of this amendment, however, should the Commissioner decide that any additional fee or fee deficiency is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any and all fees incurred as a result of entering this amendment and response to the above deposit account number.